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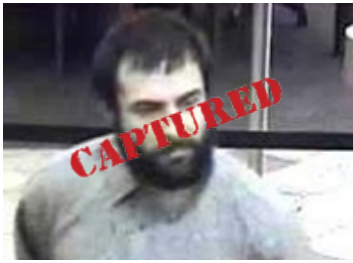
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"Bearded Bandit"

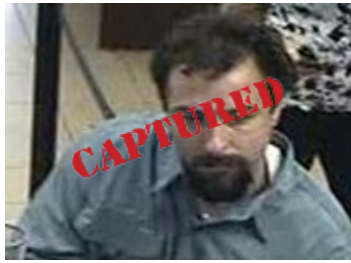
San Diego, California; Vista, California

October 7, 2014; October 15, 2014

UNKNOWN BANK ROBBER



October 7, 2014



October 15, 2014



November 6, 2014



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DESCRIPTION

Height: 5'7" - 5'10" tall

Sex: Male

Hair: Brown

Age: Late 20s to early 30s

Remarks: The suspect wears long sleeved button down shirts, and jeans or khakis.

Weight: Approximately 170 - 190 pounds

Build: Medium

Race: White

CAUTION

On Thursday, November 6, 2014, at approximately 9:55 a.m., a lone white male robbed the Chase bank located at 985 East Vista Way, Vista, California. The robber, believed to be the Bearded Bandit, did not have a beard and wore a light Panama style hat. The robber used a demand note and threatened a handgun. No handgun was seen and no one was injured.

On Wednesday, October 15, 2014, at approximately 9:15 a.m., the "Bearded Bandit" robbed the Chase Bank, located at 1641 South Melrose Drive, Vista, California. The robber used a demand note which asked for a specific amount of money and threatened the use of a handgun. No weapon was seen and no one was injured. After receiving a sum of money the robber left the bank, walking south, through the parking lot.

On Tuesday, October 7, 2014, at approximately 9:30 a.m., the Wells Fargo Bank, located at 685 Saturn Boulevard, San Diego, California, was robbed by an unknown male. The robber, believed to be the "Bearded Bandit," presented a demand note, demanding cash and indicating he was armed with a weapon. No weapon was observed and no injuries were reported during this robbery. The robber exited the bank and walked eastbound on Palm Avenue across Interstate 5.

SHOULD BE CONSIDERED ARMED AND DANGEROUS

Anyone with information concerning this robbery is asked to contact the San Diego FBI Field Office at telephone number (858) 320-1800.

If you have any information concerning this case, please contact your local FBI Office or the nearest American Embassy or Consulate. You can also submit a tip at: tips.fbi.gov

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